



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Public Health Service

Food and Drug Administration
Rockville, MD 20857

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Vy Tran
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Dear Mr. Tran:

Your petition requesting the Food and Drug Administration to approve a variance for Acuity, K033339 and On Board Imaging, K042720 Optional Therapy Simulation Systems, was received by this office on 12/16/2004. It was assigned docket number 2004V-0553/VAR1 and it was filed on 12/21/2004. Please refer to this docket number in future correspondence on this subject with the Agency.

Please note that the acceptance of the petition for filing is a procedural matter in that it in no way reflects an agency decision on the substantive merits of the petition.

Sincerely,

Lyle D. Jaffe
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